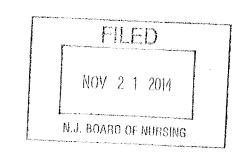
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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
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STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE CERTIFICATE OF : Ciara M. Williams, C.H.H.A. :

Certificate No. 26NH12484900

TO PRACTICE AS A CERTIFIED HOMEMAKER-HOME HEALTH AIDE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

ORDER OF SUMMARY SUSPENSION

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information revealing the following:

- 1. Respondent, Ciara M. Williams, C.H.H.A., is the holder of Certificate No. 26NH12484900 and was certified to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey on December 22, 2010 and thereafter permitted that certification to lapse on November 30, 2013.
  - 2. The Board is in receipt of information that Respondent was

arrested on February 12, 2014 by Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office for N.J.S.A. 2C:41-2D, Conspire to Racketeering; N.J.S.A. 2C:20-11C(1), Shoplifting; N.J.S.A. 2C:5-2, Conspiracy Shoplifting; two (2) counts of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-5B(3) Distribute Heroin/Cocaine; two (2) counts of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-7, Controlled Dangerous Substance on School Property; and N.J.S.A. 2C:20-11C(2), Shoplifting. On June 6, 2014, Respondent was found guilty of N.J.S.A. 2C:20-11B(1), Shoplifting; N.J.S.A. 2C:41-2D, Conspire to Racketeering; and N.J.S.A. 2C:5-2 Conspiracy Burglary.

3. Respondent's failure to submit her biennial renewal in New Jersey in 2013 has resulted in a lapsed status and the automatic suspension of Respondent's certificate to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey without a hearing pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1(b).

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 21st day of Povember, 2014, ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Respondent's certificate to practice as a certified Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey is suspended by operation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1, without a hearing.
- 2. In the event that Respondent seeks reinstatement of her New Jersey certificate at any time in the future, then this Order shall require Respondent to appear before the New Jersey State Board of Nursing to establish that she is fit to practice as a certified Homemaker-Home Health Aide in New Jersey and provide information regarding the circumstances surrounding the incident.

Additionally, the Board reserves the right to take disciplinary action and place restrictions and/or limitations upon Respondent's certificate to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey.

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